

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
ATLANTA DIVISION

MS. JANE KIDD, ANDREA SUAREZ,  
DR. MURRAY BLUM, and ANN  
BLUM,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CATHY COX, Individually and in her  
Official Capacities as Secretary of  
State of Georgia and Chair of the  
Georgia Elections Board,

Defendant.

CIVIL ACTION NO.  
1:06-CV-0997-BBM  
(Three Judge Court)

**ORDER**

By the Panel's Order of April 27, 2006, the deadlines for candidates to qualify to run for election in Georgia Senate Districts 46, 47 and 49, and Georgia House Districts 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 107, 108, 111, 113, 114, 115 and 116 was extended until Friday, May 5, 2006 at noon. The Panel has now considered the evidence presented in this case, as well as the arguments of counsel, and has found that the defendant is entitled to prevail in this action. A memorandum opinion will follow.

By this Order, Notice is given that those candidates qualifying for Georgia Senate Districts 46, 47 and 49 and Georgia House Districts 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 107,

108, 111, 113, 114, 115 and 116 will qualify for those Districts as defined by the 2006 amendment to O.C.G.A. § 28-2-2, which has also been referred to in this litigation as Senate Bill 386.

IT IS SO ORDERED, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2006.

s/Beverly B. Martin  
BEVERLY B. MARTIN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
FOR THE COURT